GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6394
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REQUIREMENT OF LPG AT RANCHI, BIHAR
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the monthly requirement of LPG for Ranchi district of Bihar at present and the supply position thereof ;

(b) the steps Government have taken to meet the full requirement of LPG in the district ;

(c) whether rural areas of the district are being neglected in supplying LPG ;

(d) if so, the details thereof ; and

(e) the steps taken by the Government to set up more LPG agencies in the district in the next few years ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) & (b) : At present, the demand of LPG customers enrolled with the Public Sector Oil Companies in the State of Bihar including Ranchi is being met by and large in full.

(c) to (e) : The existing distributors in district Ranchi are supplying the LPG under their area of operation.Two locations in Ranchi district of Bihar have been included in LPG Marketing Plan, 1996-98.